Amendments to the Claims

- (currently amended) A spontaneously dispersible pharmaceutical composition for oral administration comprising
 - 1) N-benzoyl-staurosporine,
 - 2) a hydrophilic component, and
 - 23) a surfactant,

wherein the hydrophilic component is selected from the group of ethanol, 1,2-propylene glycol, and a polyethylene glycol, and

wherein the surfactant is selected from the group of polyoxyethylenes, polyglycerols and related polyols, polyalkylene oxide copolymers, polyoxyethylene castor oil, a polyoxyethylene alkyl ether, and a polysorbate,

wherein the spontaneously dispersible pharmaceutical composition produces colloidal structures when diluted in an aqueous medium.

- (previously presented)A composition as claimed in claim 1 further comprising a lipophilic component.
- 3. (cancelled) A composition according to claim 1 wherein the hydrophilic component comprises ethanol, 1,2 propylene glycol or a polyethylene glycol.
- 4. (previously presented) A composition according to claim 1 wherein the surfactant is selected from the group consisting of polyoxyethylenes, polyglycerols and related polyols, and polyalkylene oxide copolymers.
- 5. (previously presented) A composition according to claim 1 wherein the surfactant is selected from the group consisting of a polyoxyethylene castor oil, a polyoxyethylene alkyl ether, and a polysorbate.
- 6. (previously presented) A composition according to claim 1 wherein the surfactant has an HLB value of greater than 10 and the composition further comprises a co-surfactant having an HLB value of less than 10.
- 7. (previously presented) A composition as claimed in claim 6 wherein the surfactant is selected from the group consisting of a polyoxyethylene castor oil, a polyoxyethylene alkyl ether, and a polysorbate, and the co-surfactant comprises a transesterified ethoxylated vegetable oil.

- 8. (previously presented) A composition as claimed in claim 2 wherein the surfactant has an HLB value of greater than 10 and the lipophilic component comprises a fatty acid glyceride.
- 9. (previously presented) A spontaneously dispersible pharmaceutical composition for oral administration comprising
 - (a) up to 20% by weight of N-benzoyl-staurosporine,
 - (b) 5 to 50% by weight of a hydrophilic component,
 - (c) 5 to 810% of a surfactant or surfactant mixture,
 - (d) 5 to 85% of a lipophilic component, and
 - (e) 0.05 to 5% of an additive.
- 10. (withdrawn) A method of treatment for treating subjects in need of N-benzoylstaurosporine therapy comprising administering a dispersible pharmaceutical composition according to claim 1 to a subject in need of such treatment.
- 11. (previously presented) A pharmaceutical composition for oral administration comprising N-benzoylstaurosporine and having
 - (a) a variability of bioavailability levels of N-benzoylstaurosporine of from 5 to 17%;
 - (b) an AUC (0-48h)/dose value (in (h·nmol/L)/(mg/kg)) of from 380 to 2000, or
 - (c) a C_{max} , dose value (in (nmol/L)/(mg/kg)) of from 60 to 310, upon administration of a dose (in mg/kg) of N-benzoylstaurosporine.
- 12. (withdrawn) A method of increasing bioavailability levels or reducing variability of bioavailability levels of N-benzoylstaurosporine by mixing N-benzoylstaurosporine with a carrier comprising a hydrophilic component, and a surfactant.
- 13. (withdrawn) A method of increasing bioavailability levels or reducing variability of bioavailability levels of N-benzoylstaurosporine, said method comprising orally administering a composition according to claim 1 to fasted beagle dogs.